

SENATOR ANKENY MAY WITHDRAW FROM RACE MURPHY SAYS CICORIA IS THE MAN WHO OFFERED HIM \$5,000

THEY WANT HIM TO QUIT

Prominent Republicans Would Pull Ankeny Out of Contest. Senator Files Said to Be Anxious to Secure Such Result.

Efforts now being made by influential republicans prove successful. The name of Senator Levi Ankeny will not be presented to the voters of Washington next November.

Opposed to those who are endeavoring to secure the withdrawal of Ankeny from the senatorial race are the men who are handling Ankeny's campaign.

The former realize that Ankeny is unfit to represent this state in the senate and that if he should stay in the race and secure the nomination he is quite likely to be defeated by a clean man on the opposing ticket.

They Want the Money. The latter, the men by whom Ankeny's campaign is today being conducted, want to keep the Walla Walla man in the fight because of the almost unlimited amount of money placed at their disposal.

Since his return from Washington, every reference made by Senator Piles to his support of Ankeny has been in the nature of an apology. It is understood that he did not want Ankeny to come to Seattle because of the impression that he knew the senator would make.

GUNBOATS ORDERED AROUND HORN

WASHINGTON, July 16.—Orders have been issued by the War Department to the gunboats Victoria and Princeton to proceed at once around the Horn to the Caribbean sea, a distance of 14,000 miles.

The gunboats will stop at Annapolis, where the cruiser Albany is now stationed. Orders have also been issued for the gunboat Minnesota to proceed at once to the coast of the West Indies.

Quit Coffee Gambling. NEW YORK, July 16.—For all practical purposes it may be said that gambling in coffee prices has ended in the principal exchanges of the world.

THEY WANT BACHELORS BUYING WIVES THAT'S WHAT YOU SEE IN THIS PICTURE



THE SPINSTER MARKET AT ECAUSSINES. (By United Press.) BRUSSELS, July 14.—Belgium's annual marriage market for left-over spinsters has just been held at Ecaussines.

ARRIVES IN HONOLULU HARBOR

Atlantic Fleet Is Riding at Anchor After Safe Trip. Thousands Give American Marines Greatest of Greetings.

HONOLULU, July 16.—Completing the first leg of their voyage around the world from San Francisco to New York, 12 vessels of the American battleship fleet anchored at Pearl Harbor today.

Deafening cheers arose from thousands of throats as the battleships swung in toward shore and a great blaze of day fireworks carried the message of welcome to the men of the sea.

As soon as the warships were resting safely at anchor the commanding officers boarded their barges and visited the Connecticut to make their formal report to Rear Admiral Sperry.

MRS. EDDY'S BIRTHDAY

(By United Press.) BOSTON, July 16.—Mrs. Mary Baker Glover Eddy, founder of Christian Science, is today celebrating her 87th birthday.

BURGLAR IS A FUNNY MAN

Make His Victims Laugh While He Is Robbing Them. Bungling an attempt to chloroform one of his victims, and then putting them in such good humor, while he robbed them, that they were still laughing when the police arrived on the scene.

He then started to "jolly" the woman, and took a gold chain and watch valued at \$20, a gold watch valued at \$25, and 75 cents in cash.

SMALLPOX CLOSES HOTEL

Seven Cases Emanate From the Alaska-Commercial House. Eighty-Four Inmates Vaccinated by the Health Department.

The Alaska-Commercial hotel, at First av. S. and Main st., was closed yesterday by the health officials as a result of seven cases of smallpox which are known to have emanated from the premises within the past few weeks.

Yesterday two more cases developed among the guests of the hotel. These patients were hurriedly removed to the pest house. F. R. Norman, the proprietor, did not make an appearance and inquiry elicited the information that he was confined to his home with rheumatism.

Hotel Is Closed. Today the entire hotel structure is closed up, while Quarantine Inspector McGee and his assistants are thoroughly fumigating the premises.

WANTED GARBAGE CONTRACT BILL PUT THROUGH COMMITTEE

FAMILY OUTING DAY AT WHITE CITY

If You Are a Reader of The Star You May Visit the Big Madison Park Attraction at Only a Slight Expense—Watch for the Coupons in The Star Next Week.

Laugh and be happy! Here is good news for every family in Seattle. The Star has made arrangements with the management of the White City, Madison Park, to give a Family Outing Day on Thursday, July 23.

It ought to be a nice plan for mothers and the younger children to go to the White City fairly early, and then have father and the older ones go out after they have finished the day's work.

SHELDON WILL TELL WHERE HE GETS IT



GEORGE R. SHELDON. New York banker, who has been named as treasurer of the Republican national committee, going to his daily work on his steam yacht.

NEW YORK, July 16.—This campaign we are going to know who furnishes the money for conducting the monster organizations of the big political parties.

MICHIGAN CLUB TO GIVE PICNIC

Saturday the annual election of officers and the picnic of the Michigan club will be held at Wildwood park. A good card of sports and games has been arranged for the day, and prizes will be awarded in each event.

Councilman-at-Large Is Positive in His Assertion That Well-Known Italian Saloon Keeper Attempted to Bribe Him.

John Cicoria, proprietor of the Columbus House and Bar, at 167 Columbia st., was directly charged today by Councilman Murphy with having attempted to secure Murphy's favorable consideration of a garbage contract bill during the month of March, offering as a consideration a bribe of \$5,000.

Yesterday Mr. Cicoria was interviewed by a representative of The Star and during the conversation he specifically denied that he had ever offered Mr. Murphy any money, or that he had ever solicited an interview on any bill pending before the council member-at-large.

"I was told by the man talking over the telephone that he wanted to see me on something important, or words to that effect. As I remember it, I said something about meeting him after a committee meeting, but that meeting was prolonged until about 5 o'clock and I did not see the man."

SUMMONS THE BIG SIX ATTEMPTS TO TAKE LIFE

today began to grade the road to Fairview, in preparation for the Bryan notification ceremonies, which will be held August 12.

Wife of Millionaire Tries to Kill Herself While Despondent

PASADENA, Cal., July 16.—The condition of Mrs. Edith Mary Teagle, wife of Walter C. Teagle, a Standard Oil millionaire, and a resident of Cleveland, O., who shot herself through the head on Wednesday afternoon in a fit of despondency, is unchanged today and it is not believed that she will recover.

Bryan to Seek Advice From Business Men in Campaign

FAIRVIEW, LINCOLN, Neb., July 16.—Wm. J. Bryan today sent invitations to six big democratic business men, who are not known as politicians or even as strict party men, requesting that they visit him here next week, or, if that is impossible, to meet him in Chicago on July 25, when he will be in that city to attend the meeting of the sub-committee of the national committee.